# **BAIL SCHEDULE**

FOR SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY

July 1, 2001

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# ADOPTION OF UNIFORM BAIL SCHEDULE

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 1269(d) of the California Penal Code, the following uniform County wide schedule of bail for bailable offenses is hereby adopted by the Judges of the Superior Court of the County of San Luis Obispo. This schedule sets the bail for the release of prisoners arrested (without warrant) on Felony, Misdemeanor or Infraction charges for the alleged commission of any bailable offense.

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#### **RULES FOR SETTING BAIL**

### **Felony**

For all offenses and enhancements for which no presumptive bail is specified in this schedule, the presumptive bail shall be set according to state prison top term potential as listed on page ii.

#### Misdemeanor

Except as herein provided, bail is the highest amount for any one of the charges. Other than for charges allowing post and forfeit of bail, bail amounts are not to be totaled, i.e., compounded. For misdemeanors which are not mandatory appearance (also known as "post and forfeit") bail is the sum of the bails established for each of the charges.

#### Infraction

Bail is the sum of the bails established for each of the charges; provided, however, that on multiple violations which are traffic school eligible, the fee for traffic school will be the highest amount for any one charge applicable to the multiple traffic school violations, plus \$30.00.

### **Combination of Charges**

Regardless of whether the charge is a misdemeanor or infraction, if any **one** of the charges requires mandatory appearance, the total bail will be the highest amount for any one charge.

If <u>all</u> charges are optional appearance, then bail may be compounded. The bail for each charge is added and the defendant may be released upon posting of the total sum.

#### **BAIL CALCULATION - FELONY CHARGES**

- 1. Match the desired Felony charge from one listed in Felony Charges. If your charge is not listed you must use one of the UNLISTED bail amounts from the UNLISTED FELONY CHARGES found in Appendix B, page viii.
- 2. If there is an ENHANCEMENT to the underlying charge the bail of the original charge is added with the ENHANCEMENT giving the new bail amount.

#### Example:

Charge	Description		Bail
PC 261 PC 12022.2(B)	Rape Commit sex crimes with de	eadly weapon	\$ 50,000.00 \$ 50,000.00
	To	otal bail:	\$ 100,000.00

### **BAIL CALCULATION OTHER THAN FELONY CHARGE**

**Example 1:** Defendant arrested for PC326.5 "Bingo". Bail is \$235.00. Court appearance is not required.

Example 2: Defendant arrested for PC326.5 "Bingo" and PC321 "Lottery-selling changes, shares or tickets".

Court appearance is not required for either charge, thus bail may be added (compounded). Bail is \$235.00 + \$235.00 for a total of \$470.00.

**Example 3:** Defendant arrested for PC326.5 "Bingo" and PC416 "Refusing to Disburse."

Since court appearance is required for at least one charge, bail may not be compounded. Bail is set at the highest amount for any one charge, i.e., \$750.00 for the PC416.

#### **PENALTY ASSESSMENTS**

Penalty assessments, where applicable, are included in the bail amounts shown.

The penalty assessment is \$17.00 for each \$10.00 of bail (or fine) pursuant to penal Code §1464 and Government Code §76000.

#### TIME AND PLACE OF APPEARANCE

The time and place of appearance in Court upon posting bail will be pursuant to court rules and policies promulgated from time to time.

#### **RELEASE OF DEFENDANT**

Until delivery of a written order altering the amount of bail provided in the bail schedule or providing for the defendant's release on his or her own recognizance, the defendant may only be released upon the posting of bail in an amount provided in this bail schedule.

#### **CONSTRUCTION ZONES**

Vehicle Code Section 42009 requires that for any specified offense committed within a highway construction or maintenance area during the hours when work is being performed, the fine will be doubled for the misdemeanors and for infractions the fine shall be one category higher than otherwise provided in the uniform traffic penalty schedule. The violations allowed will have footnote 32 (refer to page v).

#### **SAFETY ZONES**

Pursuant to Vehicle Code section 42010, the fines for any specified offense committed in a safety enhancement-double fine zone shall be double in the case of misdemeanors and in the case of infractions shall be one category higher than otherwise provided in the Bail Schedule. Any additional penalty, forfeiture, or assessment imposed by any other statute shall be based on the amount of the base fine before enhancement or doubling and shall not be based on the amount of the enhanced fine imposed per Vehicle Code section 42010. The safety enhancement zone in San Luis Obispo County is Route 46, between the intersection with Route 101 and junction with Route 41. The violations chargeable will have footnote 36 (refer to page v).

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#### INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE OF BAIL SCHEDULE

The bail schedule contains a list of felony, misdemeanor and infraction violations. This schedule is divided into three sections
preceded by Appendix A and Appendix B. Appendix A contains unique penalty provisions as to certain codes. Appendix E
contains the unlisted charge bail amount instructions for felonies, misdemeanors and infractions. The three sections of the
bail schedule consist of the following:

..... Felony Enhancements,
..... Felony Charges, and
..... Combined Misdemeanor and Infractions.

The schedule is divided into several columns. The explanation for each column follows:

#### **CHARGE CODE & SECTION**

This column shows the California statute code and the section number.

#### VAR

This is the variation of the charge and allows the court to set a different bail for the same charge based upon different circumstances.

**CRIME CLASS** 

M = Misdemeanor, and I = Infraction.

**DESCRIPTION** 

This is the English language description of the crime.

**BAIL** 

The amount of Bail that is required before the defendant may be released from custody. "+" means the amount that will be added to the bail amount for the felony offense committed.

P/C

Some violations are deemed to be correctable. Where proof of correction may decrease the bail, that amount is shown. "NAP" means that proof of correction is not applicable.

#### MAN APP

This field shows whether the defendant is required to appear in court. "Y" (YES) means appearance is required. "N" (NO) means the bail may be posted and forfeited in lieu of appearance.

Rule: If any one violation is a mandatory appearance, the whole case is a mandatory appearance.

ONLY if all violations are not mandatory appearance can bail be posted and forfeited in lieu of appearing.

FN

This is a footnote column. Some violations have unique penalty provisions or other special requirements. Footnotes are printed on page v.

DIV

This is the court division where the case is filed. "C" = criminal division' "T" = traffic division.

CAL

This shows which calendar case is heard on. "J" = Judge or Commissioner as assigned, "T" = Traffic Referee.

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# **BAIL FOOTNOTES**

FOOTNOTE NUMBER FOOTNOTE
1
2 Mandatory fine.
4 Unique Penalty - See Appendix A
5 No P.A. if parking.
11 License suspension mandatory upon conviction.
12 8 hours litter pickup required.
13 Bail includes penalty assessment.
14 Misdemeanor pursuant to ATMC 5-7.05.
16 Plus \$5.00 per specimen.
17 Plus \$10.00 per specimen.
18 Plus \$25.00 per specimen.
19 Plus \$50.00 per specimen.
20 Plus \$150.00 per specimen.
21 Plus \$250.00 per specimen.
27 See FG 12001 et. seq. for unique penalty provisions.
28 No part of the fine may be suspended.
29 Includes \$2.00 extra for Head Trauma Fund.
30 Add penalty assessment after calculating base fine.
31 Mandatory fine pursuant to VC 42001.7(A).
32 Construction zone enhancement allowed.
33 Plus damages.
34 Plus \$30.00 per specimen.
35 Plus \$45.00 per specimen.
36 Safety zone enhancement allowed.
37 Alcohol program pursuant to VC23141
38 Mandatory community service required.
39 Proof of correction must be prior to violation date.
40 Mandatory sentencing, refer to charging code section.
41 Violation to be filed as a misdemeanor.

# **ABBREVIATIONS FOR CODES**

\*UNLISTED Refers to any unlisted code section

AGMC Arroyo Grande Municipal Code

AG Agricultural Code

APCD Air Pollution Control District regulation
ASH Atascadero State Hospital regulation

ATMC Atascadero Municipal Code

BP Business and Professions Code
CCR California Code of Regulations
CC Cuesta College regulations

CPSU California Polytechnic State University regulation

EL Elections Code

FA Food and Agriculture Code

FG Fish and Game Code

GCMC Grover Beach Municipal Code
HN Harbors and Navigation Code

HS Health and Safety Code

IC Insurance Code

MBMC Morro Bay Municipal Code

NEC National Electric Code

PBMC Pismo Beach Municipal Code

PC Penal Code

PR Public Resources Code

PRMC Paso Robles Municipal Code
PSLH Port San Luis harbor District

PUC Public Utilities Code

SH Streets and Highways Code

SLCC County of San Luis Obispo Ordinance
SLMC City of San Luis Obispo Municipal Code

UAC Uniform Administrative Code

UBC Uniform Building Code
UFC Uniform Fire Code
UHC Uniform Housing Code
UIC Uniform Insurance Code

VC Vehicle Code

WI Welfare and Institutions Code

# **APPENDIX A**

# UNIQUE PENALTY PROVISIONS AS TO CERTAIN CODE SECTIONS

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CCR14-1.17	EXCESS OF BAG LIMIT:
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT FISH) \$ 54.00
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT ANIMAL) \$ 54.00
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT DEER) \$ 405.00
CCR14-1.62	UNDERSIZE FISH
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT FISH) \$ 54.00
CCR14-300	PHEASANTS
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT BIRD) \$ 54.00
CCR14-301	QUAIL
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT BIRD) \$ 54.00
CCR14-302	RED-LEGGED PARTRIDGE
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT BIRD) \$ 54.00
CCR14-307	TREE SQUIRRELS
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT ANIMAL) \$ 54.00
CCR14-308	RABBITS
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT ANIMAL) \$ 54.00
CCR14-360	DEER
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT DEER) \$ 540.00
CCR14-365(A)(B)	BEAR
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT BEAR) \$ 675.00
CCR14-500	PIGEONS
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT BIRD) \$ 54.00
CCR14-501 (A)	DOVES
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT BIRD) \$ 54.00
CCR14-502(A)	MIGRATORY WATERFOWL
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT BIRD) \$ 54.00
FG3800	TAKING OF NONGAME BIRD
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT BIRD) \$ 54.00
FG5508	FISH OF INDETERMINATE SIZE
	+ (FOR EACH OVER LIMIT FISH) \$ 54.00

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### **APPENDIX B**

#### **UNLISTED CHARGE BAIL AMOUNTS - BY CHARGE TYPE**

#### **BAIL FOR UNLISTED FELONY**

CHARGE	<u>F</u>	CHARGE DESCRIPTION	BAIL
*UNLISTED	F	UNLISTED FELONIES - TOP TERM STATE PRISON 3 YEARS	10,000.00
*UNLISTED	F	UNLISTED FELONIES - TOP TERM STATE PRISON 4 YEARS	20,000.00
*UNLISTED	F	UNLISTED FELONIES - TOP TERM STATE PRISON 5 YEARS	25,000.00
*UNLISTED	F	UNLISTED FELONIES - TOP TERM STATE PRISON 6 YEARS	30,000.00
*UNLISTED	F	UNLISTED FELONIES - TOP TERM STATE PRISON 7 YEARS	35,000.00
*UNLISTED	F	UNLISTED FELONIES - TOP TERM STATE PRISON 8 YEARS	40,000.00
*UNLISTED	F	UNLISTED FELONIES - TOP TERM STATE PRISON 9 YEARS	45,000.00
*UNLISTED	F	UNLISTED FELONIES - TOP TERM STATE PRISON 10 YEARS	50,000.00
*UNLISTED	F	UNLISTED FELONIES - TOP TERM STATE PRISON 11 YEARS	60,000.00
*UNLISTED	F	UNLISTED FELONIES - TOP TERM STATE PRISON 12 YEARS	65,000.00
*UNLISTED	F	UNLISTED FELONIES - TOP TERM STATE PRISON 16 YEARS	70,000.00
*UNLISTED	F	UNLISTED FELONIES - ALL LIFE SENTENCES EXCEPT PC187	500,000.00

#### BAIL FOR UNLISTED MISDEMEANORS - EXCEPT LOCAL ORDINANCES

For any Misdemeanor charge which is not listed in this schedule the bail shall be set at \$270.00. Court appearance is mandatory, except that if the minimum fine for the offense as specified in the Code (not including any penalty assessments) is greater than \$270.00, then the bail is the amount of the minimum fine.

## BAIL FOR UNLISTED CITY/COUNTY ORDINANCE MISDEMEANORS - EXCEPT TRAFFIC

For any City or County Ordinance Misdemeanors, except traffic violations, which are not listed in this schedule, bail shall be set at \$200.00, except that if the minimum fine for the offense as specified in the Code (not including any penalty assessments) is greater than \$200.00, then the bail is the amount of the minimum fine. Any such bail may be posted and forfeited without court appearance unless specified otherwise in the Code, or as prescribed herein.

### BAIL FOR UNLISTED CITY/COUNTY ORDINANCE MISDEMEANORS INVOLVING TRAFFIC

For any City or County Ordinance Misdemeanors, involving traffic violations, which are not listed in this schedule, bail shall be set at \$150.00, except that if the minimum fine for the offense as specified in the Code (not including any penalty assessments) is greater than \$150.00, then the bail is the amount of the minimum fine. Any such bail may be posted and forfeited without court appearance unless specified otherwise in the Code, or as prescribed herein.

#### **BAIL FOR UNLISTED INFRACTIONS - EXCEPT PARKING**

For any Infraction charge which is not listed in this schedule the bail shall be set at \$103.00, except that if the minimum fine for the offense as specified in the Code (not including any penalty assessments) is greater than \$103.00, then the bail is the amount of the minimum fine. Any such bail may be posted and forfeited without court appearance unless specified otherwise in the Code, or as prescribed herein.

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